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Prev. Ex'r: S. Houtteman, Ph.D

For: A PHOSPHATE-MOIETY LABELED NUCLEOTIDE, AND AN OLIGO- OR  
POLYNUCLEOTIDE, AND OTHER COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING SUCH  
PHOSPHATE-MOIETY LABELED NUCLEOTIDES (As Twice Amended)

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Respectfully submitted,

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**THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sirs:

This Third Preliminary Amendment follows Applicants' September 20, 1995 Supplemental Amendment that in turn followed their September 18, 1995 Second Preliminary Amendment. It is respectfully requested that the new claims below be entered and fully considered prior to the issuance of any action in the above-identified application, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/046,004, filed on April 9, 1993.

**PLEASE AMEND THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION AS FOLLOWS:****In The Claims:**

Add new claims 259-262 as follows:

-- 259. (New) The nucleotide of claim 204 wherein said covalent attachment comprises

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